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Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 2, line 15:

- secured about a first selected point or axis, and the plug lock rotates about the first selected point or axis

On page 2, lines 22-25:

--release mechanism rotates about the second selected point or axis. The plug lock locking mechanism communicates with the locking release mechanism such that when the locking release mechanism rotates about the second selected point or axis the plug lock locking mechanism secures the plug lock in the neutral position, and the plug lock then retains and holds the plug securely in the plug signal receptacle.--

On page 4, lines 1-3:

--both the plug 10 and plug signal receptacle 20 are substantially axially aligned. The plugs 10 may be headphone plugs or audio headphone signal plugs 15 attached to a headphone 16, while the plug signal receptacle 20 may be an audio signal receptacle or a headphone plug signal receptacle 21. As seen in Pigures 2 and 3, the standard plug 10 typically has a—

On page 4, line 16:

-is rotatably secured about a first selected point or axis 101. In operation, as seen in Figure 2, the plug lock-

On page 4, line 26:

--second selected point or axis 301. The plug lock locking mechanism 400 communicates with the locking-

### On page 4, line 10-11:

--locking mechanism 400 and allows the plug lock locking mechanism 400 to lock and secure the first plug lock boss portion 106 in the indentation 12 when the plug 10 is fully inserted in the plug signal receptacle 20.--

# On page 6, line 7:

--arm end portion 311 and a second locking release mechanism arm end portion 312. In one of the--

#### One page 6, line 10;

--312 is pivotally or rotatably attached to the locking release mechanism main member 315. The locking--

### On page 7, line 3:

--larger than the cross section of the first locking <u>release</u> mechanism arm end portion 311. The first locking release--

# On page 7, lines 5-6:

-- Figure 1, in the neutral position without a plug 10 fully engaged in the plug signal receptacle 20, the locking release mechanism spring 320 exerts force upon the locking release mechanism arm 310 causing the bottom of the—

### On page 7, line 22:

- signal receptacle 20, the truncated conic section tip 11 presses against the plug lock boss portion 105-